മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. എ. രാമചന്ദ്രയ്യർ: ഭൂമി ലേലംചെയ്യുവാനുള്ള അധികാരവുമുണ്ടോ?

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. പി. കണ്ണൻനായർ: ഉണ്ട്.

Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* May I know, Sir, whether before this Malabar Corporation was entrusted with this work Government made any enquiries with the indigenous concerns whether they are prepared to undertake that work?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* Government did not make any enquiries.

Mr. V. J. Mathai *(Planters):* May I know whether there is any indigenous firm functioning as auctioneers?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* Not that I know of.

Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Is this firm of auctioneers doing only this business?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* They are doing other business also.

CUSTOMS REVENUE—FIRST QUARTER OF 1115—PARTICULARS OF

130. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Will the Government be pleased to state the figures of Customs Revenue to the Cochin State during the first quarter of 1115?

Mr. P. J. George *(Joint Secretary to Government):*

		Rs. A. P.
August	1939	13,02,639—10—0
September	,,	8,33,699— 0—0
October	,,	17,28,852— 5—0

These figures represent the gross collection at the Port of Cochin and what exactly this Government's share will be, can be known only at the end of the financial year.

Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* With reference to the answer I have to submit that the last sentence alone would have been sufficient.

FLUSH-OUT LATRINES—ERNAKULAM AND MATTANCHERI

131. Mr. V. N. Damodaran Nambiar *(Trippunittura):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of flush-out latrines within the Municipal limits of Ernakulam and Mattancheri;

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